

**NEW JERSEY TURNPIKE AUTHORITY  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
JERSEY AVENUE VEHICULAR BRIDGE OVER MILL CREEK**

**JERSEY CITY, COUNTY OF HUDSON**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the New Jersey Turnpike Authority ("Authority") and the City of Jersey City will hold a Public Hearing in compliance with Executive Order No. 172 for the purpose of taking public comment on the proposed Jersey Avenue Vehicular Bridge over Mill Creek.

The Project includes the construction of a new vehicular bridge on Jersey Avenue over the Mill Creek and Tidewater Basin. Currently, there is no existing vehicular bridge in place and Jersey Avenue dead ends before reaching Mill Creek. There is a recently constructed single span pedestrian truss bridge to the west of the existing Jersey Avenue roadway alignment that provides pedestrian and bicycle access across the waterway. The purpose of this project is to improve congestion issues at New Jersey Turnpike Interchange 14C Exit, also known as the Jersey City Columbus Drive Exit off the I-78 Turnpike Extension. In addition, construction of this connection and associated approach roadway improvements will improve vehicular and pedestrian access by providing a direct link between the Jersey City Downtown District and Liberty State Park.

The Public Hearing will be held on Monday, **June 22, 2015, 2015**, from 5:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. in Council Chambers at City Hall, 280 Grove Street, Jersey City, New Jersey, 07302. Representatives of the Authority and its consultants will be available to discuss the Project informally between 5:00 P.M. and 6:30 P.M. The official Public Hearing will begin at 7:00 P.M. with a brief presentation by the Authority followed by the opportunity for members of the public to make verbal or written comments on the Project for the record.

Written comments may also be submitted to the Authority prior to the hearing and until Wednesday, **July 8, 2015**, which is the official closing date of the comment period. All comments received, oral or written, will be responded to in a written Public Hearing Report. Written comments should be addressed to:

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